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Nicotine

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I understand from Walter Thoma that the minutes of the March 22 VdC meeting contain a number of references to nicotine, including one to the effect that "nicotine is ... the reason why the consumer smokes". This statement does not seem to be attributed, but it is exactly the kind of misleading and inaccurate characterization that is causing such a fuss in the United States.

I think everyone is expecting you to make sure that the VdC stays on track, and does not get itself embroiled in these types of issues, particularly when they involve areas about which the participants have no particular expertise. Could you please try to be a little more vigilant on this?

Thanks.

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